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Response to Amendment

1. The reply filed on May 3, 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the amendments to the claims have not been made in accordance with the Office communication filed on April 1, 2004 and are ***not*** in strict compliance with the revised version of 37 CFR 1.121(c) effective July 30, 2003. More particularly, cancelled claim 20 is incorrectly listed in the claims listing as being "previously presented".

A replacement amendment to the claims is required in response to this Office communication.

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Ljiljana (Lil) V. Ciric, whose telephone number is (703) 308-3925.

While she works a flexible schedule that varies from day to day and from week to week, Examiner Ciric may generally be reached at the Office during the work week between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. ET.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Dave Scherbel, can be reached on (703) 308-1272.

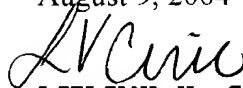
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The NEW central official fax phone number is (703) 872-9306.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0861.

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